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COMFLEACT OKINAWA INSTRUCTION 5800.1

Subj: LIMITATION ON CONSUMPTION OF ALCOHOL BY NAVY PERSONNEL IN OKINAWA, JAPAN

Ref:

- (a) COMNAVFORJAPANINST/COMNAVREGJAPANINST 5800.47
- (b) COMNAVFORJAPANINST 1050.5 Liberty Pass Policy
- (c) CFAO Command Policy on E-4 and Below Liberty of 18 Jun 07
- (d) Basic Liberty Guidelines for Active Duty Sailors / Navy Civilians on Okinawa of 10 Jun 10
- 1. <u>Purpose</u>. This instruction implements a policy change related to alcohol consumption for Navy personnel assigned or attached to U.S. Navy ashore and afloat commands at, visiting or deployed to Okinawa, Japan.
- 2. <u>Background</u>. Alcohol-related incidents are inconsistent with our role as ambassadors of the United States and our duty to always be mission-ready. This policy change is intended to re-focus our awareness on the responsible consumption of alcohol and our forward deployed mission.
- 3. <u>Scope</u>. This instruction is punitive in nature. Violators are subject to punishment under the Uniform Code of Military Justice. It remains in effect until superseded or cancelled.
- 4. Action. Effective 11 June 2010 and until further notice, public consumption of alcohol by Navy personnel is prohibited after 2400. Additionally, Navy personnel must vacate all bars or establishments whose primary purpose is to serve alcohol by 2400. This order does not prohibit consumption of alcohol in government or private personal quarters if otherwise authorized. These changes apply to all Navy personnel including Officers and Chief Petty Officers and without regard to Blue or White Liberty Card status. Other provisions of references (a) through (d) remain unchanged.

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